

**Honors Sophomore English  
Vocabulary  
First Semester**

List 1

1. anthropomorphism
2. apotheosis
3. appease
4. archetype
5. atonement
6. bane
7. beseech
8. exonerate
9. expiate
10. matriarchal
11. desolation
12. slovenly
13. churlish
14. listless
15. curate

Grk: aut, auto

Latin: am, amor

List 2

1. monomyth
2. monotheism
3. patriarchal
4. penitence
5. pestilence
6. polytheism
7. precipice
8. reconcile
9. reticence
10. servile
11. soliloquize
12. impertinence
13. misanthrope
14. compel
15. degradation

Grk: cracy

Latin: anim

List 3

1. ardor
2. formidable
3. guile
4. peril
5. plunder
6. ponderous
7. profusion
8. shun
9. tumult
10. valor
11. abode
12. parry
13. conjecture
14. interloper
15. vociferous

Grk: dem, demo

Latin: fin

List 4

1. aloof
2. contentious
3. cower
4. implacable
5. impudence
6. insidious
7. rebuke
8. revelry
9. revulsion
10. supplication
11. expostulate
12. prognosticate
13. poignant
14. munificent
15. deplorable

Grk: pan

Latin: flu, fluc, flux

List 5

1. abash
2. ardor
3. contrive
4. countenance
5. indignation
6. insolent
7. shrewd
8. vex
9. wily
10. wrathful
11. flog
12. infernal
13. perdition
14. covetousness
15. propriety

Grk: chron, chrono

Latin: gen, gener

List 6

1. agitation
2. ewer
3. ignoble
4. indiscriminate
5. perpetual
6. pious
7. rapture
8. semblance
9. vengeance
10. wretched
11. fiend
12. coquette
13. imprecation
14. paragon
15. acquiesce

Grk: mania

Latin: greg

List 7

1. brusquely
2. derogatory
3. imperiously
4. mollified
5. morosely
6. ominously
7. pathos
8. plaintively
9. pugnacious
10. recumbent
11. elicit
12. fret
13. epistle
14. deportment
15. sanguine

Grk: ped

Latin: here, hes

List 8

1. alienation
2. averted
3. belligerently
4. bemused
5. contemptuously
6. contorted
7. crestfallen
8. derision
9. euthanasia
10. retorted
11. pertinacious
12. doleful
13. paltry
14. physiognomy
15. evince

Grk: ortho

Latin: litera

List 9

1. abet
2. coerce
3. divulge
4. dogmatic
5. extraneous
6. gregarious
7. insipid
8. jaundiced
9. meticulous
10. temerity
11. apathetic
12. adjuration
13. diabolical
14. culpable
15. peruse

Grk: gen, geno, genea

Latin: luc, lum